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### SENTENCE PATTERN

1. **The government gives the farmers subsidy**  
a) SVOC                      b) SVIODO                      c) SVOA
2. **He dropped a catch at the tenth over**  
a) SVOC                      b) SVOA                      c) SVIODO
3. **The crowd welcomed the guest cheerfully**  
a) SVIODO                      b) SVAA                      c) SVOA
4. **He cleverly hid in the narrow space**  
a) SVIODO                      b) SAVA                      c) SVOC
5. **He finally got a job with an accounting firm**  
a)SVIODO                      b) SAVOA                      c) SVOCA
6. **Rama got his shoes wet**  
a) SVOA                      b) SVOC                      c) SVCA
7. **Cancer is curable in the early stage**  
a) SVOC                      b) SVCA                      c) SVOA
8. **He found the lion dead**  
a) SVOA                      b) SVCA                      c) SVOC
9. **Heavy rain hit Chennai recently**  
a) SVCA                      b) SVOA                      c) SVAA
10. **He appears dull today**  
a) SVOA                      b) SVCA                      c) SVOC

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**QUESTION TAG**

1. **I never smoke \_\_\_\_\_?**  
a) aren't I?                      b) do I?                      c) don't I?
2. **No one knows the answer \_\_\_\_\_?**  
a) does he                      b) do they                      c) don't they
3. **We get uninterrupted power supply \_\_\_\_\_?**  
a) do we                      b) don't we                      c) doesn't we?
4. **There is little amount of water in the pot \_\_\_\_\_?**  
a) is there                      b) isn't there                      c) aren't there
5. **I'm committed to this \_\_\_\_\_?**  
a) didn't I                      b) ain't I?                      c) do I?
6. **Everyone likes Shakespeare \_\_\_\_\_?**  
a) don't they                      b) doesn't he                      c) do they
7. **we can't manage the situation \_\_\_\_\_?**  
a) can't we?                      b) can we?                      c) shall we?
8. **Let's play hockey \_\_\_\_\_?**  
a) shan't we                      b) can we                      c) shall we
9. **Nothing is impossible \_\_\_\_\_?**  
a) is it?                      b) are they                      c) isn't it
10. **He hit a century \_\_\_\_\_?**  
a) don't he?                      b) didn't he?                      c) did he?

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## ARTICLES

1. I like \_\_\_\_\_ blue-T shirt over there better than the red one
2. We have a holiday on \_\_\_\_\_ tenth of this month
3. This is \_\_\_\_\_ book that I had been looking for in all the bookshops
4. Tamilnadu is in \_\_\_\_\_ southern part of India
5. She forgot to bring \_\_\_\_\_ umbrella
6. The patient had to take \_\_\_\_\_ X-ray
7. \_\_\_\_\_ Bible is holy book
8. My uncle presented me \_\_\_\_\_ HMT watch on my birthday
9. Last week I met \_\_\_\_ European
10. The hunters chased \_\_\_\_\_ elephant that damaged crops

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**PREPOSITION**

1. The work will be over \_\_\_\_\_ this evening  
a) on                      b) by                      c) in
2. They selected me for job only \_\_\_\_\_ merit  
a) in                      b) on                      c) by
3. The woodcutter was going into the forest \_\_\_\_\_ his axe  
a) at                      b) on                      c) with
4. My uncle will visit me \_\_\_\_\_ May  
a) in                      b) on                      c) to
5. Ravi stayed with his uncle \_\_\_\_\_ six months  
a) for                      b) since                      c) on
6. We went there \_\_\_\_\_ noon  
a) in                      b) at                      c) during
7. He broke the jug \_\_\_\_\_ a hundred pieces  
a) into                      b) onto                      c) in
8. It has been raining \_\_\_\_\_ yesterday  
a) from                      b) for                      c) since
9. The river flows \_\_\_\_\_ the bridge  
a) below                      b) under                      c) over
10. It is ten o'clock \_\_\_\_\_ my watch  
a) in                      b) by                      c) at



**GERUND AND INFINITIVE**

1. The jailor let Messiaen \_\_\_\_\_ music in the prison  
a) to compose                                      b) composing                                      c) compose
2. The speaker made the parents \_\_\_\_\_ the importance of music  
a) realising                                      b) realise                                      c) to realize
3. \_\_\_\_\_ the piano right now seems silly  
a) To play                                      b) playing                                      c) Play
4. She is interested in \_\_\_\_\_ novels  
a) reading                                      b) to read                                      c) read
5. My father agreed \_\_\_\_\_ me a bicycle  
a) buy                                      b) to buy                                      c) buying
6. I hate \_\_\_\_\_ movies  
a) watch                                      b) to watch                                      c) watching
7. Stephen is too tired \_\_\_\_\_ the work  
a) finish                                      b) to finish                                      c) finishing
8. She told me how \_\_\_\_\_ the problem  
a) doing                                      b) to do                                      c) do
9. Do you remember his \_\_\_\_\_ in the scene  
a) to act                                      b) acting                                      c) act
10. You had better \_\_\_\_\_ rest  
a) to take                                      b) taking                                      c) take

**DEGREES OF COMPARISON- ONE MARKS**

1. This book is \_\_\_\_\_ that book  
a) not expensive than                      b) as expensive as                      c) most expensive as
2. kodaikanal is \_\_\_\_\_ Ooty  
a) not so cool as                      b) cooler as                      c) the coolest as
3. No other continent is \_\_\_\_\_ Australia  
a) so small as                      b) smaller than                      c) the smallest
4. He is \_\_\_\_\_ men in Delhi  
a) the richest                      b) the most richest                      c) one of the richest
5. Kanna's handwriting is \_\_\_\_\_ than that of Karna  
a) best                      b) better                      c) good
6. December is \_\_\_\_\_ of all months  
a) as cold as                      b) more colder                      c) the coolest
7. Milton is \_\_\_\_\_ than many other playwrights  
a) as famous as                      b) most famous                      c) more famous
8. Chetan Bhaghat is \_\_\_\_\_ writers in India  
a) the most famous                      b) one of the most famous                      c) as famous as
9. Very few cities in India are \_\_\_\_\_ Mumbai  
a) as popular as                      b) as populous as                      c) more popular than
10. Your signature is \_\_\_\_\_ than mine  
a) more fair                      b) fairer                      c) fairer



**CHOOSE THE CORRECT PHRASE**

1. \_\_\_\_\_ the rain , the match continued  
a) In the event of                      b) In spite of                      c) Due to
2. He resigned \_\_\_\_\_ illness  
a) in the event of                      b) in spite of                      c) on account of
3. \_\_\_\_\_ his poverty, he is honest.  
a) In spite of                      b) In the event of                      c) On account of
4. \_\_\_\_\_ his working hard, Mani will pass.  
a) On account of                      b) In spite of                      c) In the event of
5. \_\_\_\_\_ his sickness, he could not study well.  
a) In the event of                      b) Because of                      c) In spite of
6. \_\_\_\_\_ walking fast he missed the train  
a) On account of                      b) Because of                      c) In spite of
7. \_\_\_\_\_ very cold, she was shivering  
a) In spite of                      b) Being                      c) In case of
8. \_\_\_\_\_ the rain stopped, we rushed to our home  
a) In order to                      b) As soon as                      c) Instead of
9. \_\_\_\_\_ time, the criminal realized his mistake.  
a) Along with                      b) Incase of                      c) In due course of
10. \_\_\_\_\_ his riches, he is not happy.  
a) Because of                      b) In spite of                      c) Owing to

**MODAL AUXILIARIES**

1. **We \_\_\_\_\_ keep our nails clean.**  
a) might      b) may      c) should      d) will
2. **Students \_\_\_\_\_ not bring calculators to the examination hall**  
a) would      b) could      c) should      d) might
3. **\_\_\_\_\_ you like to have a cup of coffee**  
a) could      b) would      c) may      d) must
4. **He promised that it \_\_\_\_\_ rain today**  
a) might      b) can      c) will      d) need
5. **I \_\_\_\_\_ read without glasses when I was young**  
a) will/may      b) should      c) must      d) could
6. **She \_\_\_\_\_ play chess well**  
a) may      b) can      c) should      d) would
7. **My grandfather \_\_\_\_ play football in his college days.**  
a) need      b) might      c) used to      d) dare
8. **You \_\_\_\_ not read every chapter.**  
a) need      b) dare      c) ought to      d) used to
9. **I \_\_\_\_\_ not go near snakes**  
a) Dare      b) need      c) ought to      d) used to
10. **We \_\_\_\_\_ go for walking when we were in chennai**  
a) need      b) dare      c) might      d) used to

**IF CLAUSE-TWO MARKS**

1. Don't pluck the flowers. You will be fined
2. The captain was absent. We lost the match
3. He does not call you. You cannot go
4. Be kind to your friends. They will be helpful to you
5. He signed an agreement. He was not in trouble
6. Dhoni did not play well in the one day series. India lost four matches against Australia
7. Mohan never smoked cigarettes in his life. He was hale and healthy throughout his life
8. The forest brigade did not come out of the forest. He was not arrested by the police
9. Sankar is very ill. He cannot go to school today
10. You must walk fast then only you will reach the station in time

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### **DIRECT AND INDIRECT SPEECH**

#### **CHANGE INTO OTHER SPEECH**

1. The doctor asked the patient whether he smoked
2. The man said, "Do you know who am I? I am the owner of this house"
3. He said, "I will take nothing with me when I depart from this world"
4. The beggar asked me whether I had money. I replied that I had no money to give him
5. Ananya asked Vaishali if she could accompany her to shop
6. The teacher said to the boys, "If you work hard now you will be happy throughout your life"
7. I told my friend that he should have come to me when he had been in need of money
8. Father told mani that he was happy to hear that he had been selected for the district volleyball team
9. The lady exclaimed that the rose was very lovely
10. He said to me, "I was absent yesterday"

### **ACTIVE AND PASSIVE VOICE**

#### **CHANGE INTO OTHER VOICE**

1. You can omit questions 16-18
2. The gardener gathered flowers from the garden and put them in his basket
3. Our teacher made us work hard
4. Hang the corrupt officers
5. Don't touch the live wire
6. The old woman sells vegetables and earns money

7. A true Indian should not take bribe from others
8. Do you know the answer?
9. Wasn't he invited by you to the function?
10. Have you read these books?

**Simple, compound and complex**

- i) In case of your playing well, you will win the match (change into complex)
- ii) After they had sold their lands, they vacated the village (change into simple)
- iii) On reaching home, Radha started cooking ( change into compound)
- iv) As it rained heavily ,the meeting was postponed (change into compound)
- v) She is poor yet she is always cheerful (change into simple)
- vi) The box is too heavy for me to lift (change into complex)
- vii) As soon as we reached the station, we heard a loud noise (change into compound)
- viii) Be calm and you will listen to the voice clearly ( change into simple)
- ix) He ran to the station but he missed the train (change into complex)
- x) On hearing the news , she began to weep (change into complex)

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**SPOT THE ERROR**

1. He works at an University of Madras.
2. The aim of the players are to score the most goals.
3. One of these cycle is defective.
4. If he studied well, he will pass the exam.
5. He is angry on me.
6. Ram as well as Shyam are intelligent.
7. They carried their luggages to the airport.
8. River Mississippi is one of the longest river in the world.
9. The Jailor let Messaiaen to compose music in the prison.
10. The dog fell along the river.
11. Apples are not sweet as mangoes.
12. I have been living in this house since five years.
13. I am your friend. Amn't I?
14. Guilty must be punished.
15. He always come late to school.
16. My cousin married with a doctor.
17. If she was rich, she would buy a hotel.
18. She has been cooking for 8 am.
19. He gave away smoking.
20. I and Ram went home together.



## ERK HIGHER SECONDARY SCHOOL, ERUMIYAMPATTI

### English (*Grammar*)

CLASS: XI I-std  
DATE :

MARKS: 30  
TIME : 15 minutes

#### MODALS

1. You seem to have some problem there \_\_\_\_\_ I help you?  
a) Would                              b) will                              c) shall
2. I don't have enough money to buy the book \_\_\_\_\_ you lend me some money?  
a) May                                  b) could                              c) shall
3. That water is very cold now. You \_\_\_\_\_ go for swimming today  
a) Might not                          b) must not                          c) would not
4. It is my duty. I \_\_\_\_\_ study now  
a) Should                              b) would                              c) could
5. He \_\_\_\_\_ have stolen the purse. He wasn't even present in the school that day  
a) Might                                  b) could not                          c) should not
6. Ivan is again late for school. He \_\_\_\_\_ missed the school bus again.  
a) Should have                          b) must have                          c) will have
7. I am not able to find my way to the post office \_\_\_\_\_ showing me how to get there?  
a) Would you mind                      b) would you be                      c) must you be
8. The train is usually on time. It \_\_\_\_\_ be here any time now.  
a) Might                                  b) has                                  c) need
9. I read about your accident. You \_\_\_\_\_ terrified!  
a) Might have been                      b) must have been                      c) shall have been
10. Mrs Koirala, we have finished our work \_\_\_\_\_ we have our break now?  
a) May                                  b) can                                  c) must
11. Children \_\_\_\_\_ to develop patriotism.  
a) dare                                  b) ought                                  c) need
12. Bharath \_\_\_\_\_ like to meet the celebrity.  
a) will                                  b) may                                  c) could

13. Sathish \_\_\_\_\_ play in this ground during his childhood  
a) used to                      b) dared to                      c) ought to
14. Surya \_\_\_\_\_ lift 50kg bag easily.  
a) might                      b) can                      c) must
15. She \_\_\_\_\_ go to the movie  
a) could                      b) can                      c) dare
16. You \_\_\_\_\_ attend the party  
a) could                      b) can                      c) dare
17. \_\_\_\_\_ I enter the room?  
a) can                      b) may                      c) could
18. Tomorrow is a holiday. \_\_\_\_\_ we go for the picnic?  
a) should                      b) can                      c) shall
19. He is not keeping too well since last month. He \_\_\_\_\_ see a doctor  
a) will                      b) shall                      c) should
20. You \_\_\_\_\_ abide by the rules of the school  
a) must                      b) could                      c) shall
21. \_\_\_\_\_ you speak Hindi?  
a) Could                      b) will                      c) can
22. In the army soldiers \_\_\_\_\_ obey their officers  
a) Can                      b) must                      c) would
23. The sky is overcast. It \_\_\_\_\_ rain but I don't think it will  
a) May                      b) might                      c) should
24. The patient is very critical, but who knows he \_\_\_\_\_ recover  
a) Can                      b) might                      c) would
25. The world \_\_\_\_\_ avoid war in the larger interest of the human race as a whole  
a) Must                      b) can                      c) could
26. \_\_\_\_\_ I come in ? Yes of course you \_\_\_\_\_  
a) Could, can                      b) might, would                      c) may, may
27. All citizens \_\_\_\_\_ obey the laws of the land  
a) Must                      b) can                      c) will



28. He \_\_\_\_\_ play football in his college days

- a) Ought to                      b) could                      c) used to

29. My marks are so poor that I \_\_\_\_\_ not show my progress report to my father

- a) Need                      b) dare                      c) ought

30. I hope he \_\_\_\_\_ succeed

- a) Would                      b) should                      c) will

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## ERK HIGHER SECONDARY SCHOOL, ERUMIYAMPATTI

### English

CLASS: XII std  
DATE:

MARKS: 65  
TIME : 30 MINUTES

#### ARTICLES

1. Our population is \_\_\_\_\_ second largest in the world
2. Face is \_\_\_\_\_ index of mind
3. I like \_\_\_\_\_ blue-T shirt over there better than the red one
4. The Ganga is \_\_\_\_\_ important holy river for the Hindus
5. We have a holiday on \_\_\_\_\_ tenth of this month
6. This is \_\_\_\_\_ book that I had been looking for in all the bookshops
7. Tamilnadu is in \_\_\_\_\_ southern part of India
8. She forgot to bring \_\_\_\_\_ umbrella
9. Don't go beyond \_\_\_\_\_ limit
10. He set \_\_\_\_\_ example to others
11. He became nothing \_\_\_\_\_ ineffectual young man
12. Ram was \_\_\_\_\_ artist b profession
13. Karthick is \_\_\_\_\_ famous percussionist
14. Mani is \_\_\_\_\_ S.P
15. He is \_\_\_\_\_ person I want to meet
16. The patient had to take \_\_\_\_\_ X-ray
17. The volt is \_\_\_\_\_ unit of measurement
18. The mobile phone is \_\_\_\_\_ utility item
19. ----- Ganges is \_\_\_\_\_ important holy river for \_\_\_\_\_ Hindus
20. This is not \_\_\_\_\_ easiest way to do it

21. \_\_\_\_\_ Bible is holy book
22. The beggar was one of \_\_\_\_\_ richest men in Europe
23. My uncle presented me \_\_\_\_\_ HMT watch on my birthday
24. \_\_\_\_\_ honest man never tell lies
25. \_\_\_\_\_ unexpected gift makes one happy
26. He will be back in \_\_\_\_\_ hour
27. Last week I met \_\_\_\_\_ European
28. Give me \_\_\_\_\_ second to get ready
29. It is \_\_\_\_\_ useless project
30. \_\_\_\_\_ earth revolves around \_\_\_\_\_ sun
31. The hunters chased \_\_\_\_\_ elephant that damaged crops
32. I shall give you \_\_\_\_\_ mango each
33. We had to close \_\_\_\_\_ unit owing to power shortage
34. We should buy \_\_\_\_\_ armchair for our grandfather

### **PREPOSITION**

1. I always keep my pen \_\_\_\_\_ the box
  - a) outside
  - b) put
  - c) inside
2. There is not enough space \_\_\_\_\_ the desk and bench
  - a) between
  - b) with
  - c) within
3. The mouse is \_\_\_\_\_ cats
  - a) between
  - b) among
  - c) above
4. Contrary \_\_\_\_\_ my instructions, he submitted his book without assignment
  - a) to
  - b) of
  - c) at
5. The work will be over \_\_\_\_\_ this evening
  - a) on
  - b) by
  - c) in

6. The boy always stands \_\_\_\_\_ his mother  
a) above                                      b) under                                      c) behind
7. I used to go out \_\_\_\_\_ a walk  
a) with                                      b) for                                      c) along
8. They selected me for job only \_\_\_\_\_ merit  
a) in                                      b) on                                      c) by
9. The road is \_\_\_\_\_ repair  
a) over                                      b) on                                      c) under
10. The woodcutter was going into the forest \_\_\_\_\_ his axe  
a) at                                      b) on                                      c) with
11. The park \_\_\_\_\_ the bus stand is a great attraction  
a) beside                                      b) by                                      c) in
12. Walking is good \_\_\_\_\_ health  
a) under                                      b) for                                      c) on
13. The author's name is \_\_\_\_\_ the cover  
a) at                                      b) over                                      c) on
14. They had been playing there \_\_\_\_\_ 7'0 clock  
a) till                                      b) at                                      c) in
15. We found an isolated bungalow \_\_\_\_\_  
a) below                                      b) down                                      c) in
16. We then continued \_\_\_\_\_ our journey  
a) on                                      b) for                                      c) in
17. We sought help \_\_\_\_\_ a villager  
a) from                                      b) of                                      c) by

18. The papers are to be prepared \_\_\_\_\_ a month

- a) by                                      b) within                                      c) on

19. My uncle will visit me \_\_\_\_\_ May

- a) in                                      b) on                                      c) to

20. Ravi stayed with his uncle \_\_\_\_\_ six months

- a) for                                      b) since                                      c) on

21. We were travelling \_\_\_\_\_ a lonely road

- A) over                                      b) on                                      c) in

22. We went there \_\_\_\_\_ noon

- a) in                                      b) at                                      c) during

23. The house was well-hidden \_\_\_\_\_ some dense trees

- a) amidst                                      b) in                                      c) on

24. He was reclining \_\_\_\_\_ a chair

- a) in                                      b) on                                      c) at

25. We shall look \_\_\_\_\_ the matter

- a) up                                      b) on                                      c) into

26. We were \_\_\_\_\_ a traffic accident

- a) on                                      b) in                                      c) at

27. This is a cheque \_\_\_\_\_ Rs.100

- a) in                                      b) at                                      c) for

28. \_\_\_\_\_ last Dad found a job in an accounting firm

- a) in                                      b) at                                      c) for

29. I do it \_\_\_\_\_ force of habit

- a) in                                      b) at                                      c) by

30. I agree \_\_\_\_\_ your proposal

a) to

b) with

c) for

31. We shall visit his house \_\_\_\_\_ a holiday

a) on

b) in

c) by



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Choose the most appropriate synonym of the underlined lexical item in each of the following sentences.

1. The end of such liberty would be universal chaos  
a) uniformity      b) confusion      c) order      d) freedom
2. Individual would have become social anarchy  
a) disagree      b) lawfulness      c) lawlessness      d) preference
3. As I heaved hard on the rope, Tenzing wriggled his way up the crack.  
a) crawled      b) jumped      c) leaped      d) skipped
4. He endeavours to make a comparative analysis of classical languages of the world  
a) prepares      b) attempts      c) tries      d) wants
5. There is not a facet of human existence  
a) happiness      b) feature      c) sadness      d) tragedy
6. For the first time I really felt the fierce determination that nothing now could stop us reaching the top.  
a) anger      b) quickness      c) happiness      d) willpower
7. He was a walking horror with a disfigured face  
a) angry      b) sad      c) fright      d) worry
8. .... the liberties of everybody must be curtailed.  
a) increased      b) soared      c) reduced      d) improved
9. .... that arose mostly on its own not as an offshoot of another tradition.  
a) deviation      b) distraction      c) growth      d) sprout
10. To qualify as a classical tradition, a language must fit several criteria.  
a) barometre      b) rules      c) possibility      d) order
11. Very soon this trolley was commandeered by an intrepid crew of two  
a) boisterous      b) bold      c) weak      d) cowardly
12. Suffering seems so cruelly prevalent in the world today.  
a) presence      b) widespread      c) attacked      d) pushed
13. Our original zest had now quite gone.  
a) enthusiasm      b) weakness      c) sickness      d) strength
14. I see nothing noble in a patient's thrashing around in a sweat – soaked bed  
a) water      b) dirty      c) perspiration      d) sink
15. In spite of the balaclava helmet goggles and oxygen mask  
a) spectacles      b) glass      c) head cover      d) gloves

Choose the most accurate of the four given words which is opposite to the usage of the underlined word in the following sentences.

16. He had returned to the hospital because he had a malignant tumour on the bone.  
a) Benign                      b) dull                      c) clear                      d) wicked
17. .... it was turning more into grim struggle.  
a) terrible                      b) cheerful                      c) barren                      d) fertile
18. .... our partly-full bottle of oxygen was now exhausted.  
a) lost                      b) stopped                      c) existed                      d) replenished
19. We persisted in our efforts to beat a trail up it.  
a) slackened                      b) continued                      c) persistent                      d) sustained
20. First, Tamil is of considerable antiquity.  
a) modernity                      b) ancientness                      c) tradition                      d) culture
21. can do what we choose be wise or ridiculous , harsh or easy, conventional or odd.  
a) strange                      b) usual                      c) stately                      d) orderly
22. .... is to deny a vital and central part of the greatness.  
a) important                      b) essential                      c) insignificant                      d) clear
23. .... steps into the middle of the road and puts out his hand, he is the symbol not of tyranny,  
a) democracy                      b) kingdom                      c) republic                      d) autocracy
24. "How dare this fellow interfere with your free use of the public highway?"  
a) recover                      b) hinder                      c) obstacles                      d) free
25. I cooked them over the fierce flame  
a) moderate                      b) strong                      c) powerful                      d) slow
26. Then in turn I would sink my shaft  
a) drown                      b) float                      c) raise                      d) push
27. As the wound healed around his neck , his lower jaw become gripped  
a) closed                      b) cured                      c) worsened                      d) surrounded
28. That is patiently obvious to anyone who knows the subject  
a) clear                      b) sure                      c) confirm                      d) vague
29. I had eleven broken ribs and a perforated lung  
a) damaged                      b) torn                      c) intact                      d) cure
30. AS Sanskrit is the most conservative and least changed of the Indo-European languages  
a) curtail                      b) liberal                      c) stingy                      d) infertile